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SUBJ: POSSIBLE RHODESIAN SANCTIONS VIOLATION

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1. BRITISH EMBASSY CALLED DEPT JULY 6 TO ASK IF PETALITE A STRATEGIC MATERIAL AND WERE INFORMED THAT IT IS NOT. BRITISH AGAIN CONTACTED DEPT OFFICIALS JULY 11 RE PETALITE SHIPMENT TO ASK IF US WOULD MIND IF BRITISH MADE ROUTINE REPORT TO SECURITY COUNCIL'S SANCTIONS COMMITTEE ON POSSIBLE SANCTIONS VIOLATION. DEPT REQUESTED FULL FACTS AS UNDERSTOOD BY BRITISH AND TWO WEEKS' TIME TO INVESTIGATE. BRITISH EMBASSY AMENABLE BUT STATED IT NECESSARY TO GET FACTS FROM AND CLEAR TIMING OF REPORT WITH LONDON.

2. DEPT HAS NO INFORMATION ON PETALITE SHIPMENT AND CANNOT INVESTIGATE UNTIL NAME OF SHIP AND DATES ARE KNOWN. BRITISH PROBABLY HAVE THESE FACTS AND MORE. IT OUR EXPERIENCE THEY DO NOT CONTEMPLATE REPORTS ON VIOLATIONS TO SANCTIONS COMMITTEE UNLESS IT QUITE CLEAR A VIOLATION HAS TAKEN PLACE. ROGERS

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